



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 5536**
Makoto NISHIMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003_1716A
Serial No. 10/721,162 : Group Art Unit 3726
Filed November 26, 2003 : Examiner David P. Bryant

ASSEMBLY OF SHEET MATERIALS, TUBE
ASSEMBLY, DRAWING METHOD AND TOOLS
FOR DRAWING

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AMENDMENT AND ELECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 20, 2006, the period for response having been extended for two (2) months by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows: